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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action having a mailing date of July 31, 2003. The three month shortened statutory period to respond was set to expire October 31, 2003.

In view of the following amendments and remarks, the Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider and withdraw the outstanding rejections and allow all claims pending in this application.

AMENDMENT

Please amend the above captioned application as follows:

In the Specification:

Please amend the specification paragraph at page 16, lines 10-20, as shown in Attachment "A".